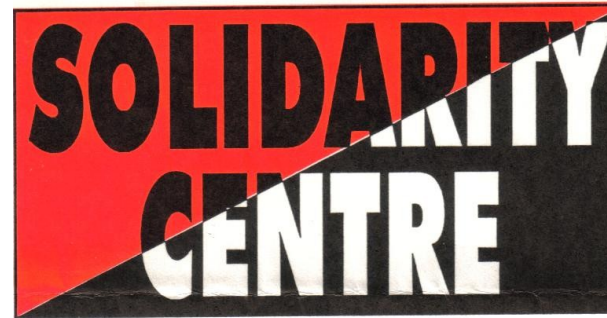




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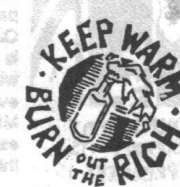
Dear Friend,

Welcome to the first of many mailouts from the Solidarity Centre, Clydeside's resource centre for libertarian revolutionaries. The Centre first opened its doors in December 1994 with a view to facilitating space and resources for political and social groups working in and around Glasgow. The upgrading of the Centre is still in its infancy and we've got big plans to expand which is where YOU come in. As you can imagine we're in dire need of just about EVERYTHING to make the Centre function properly as a resource.

Money. We need it and lots of it. We're looking into all areas of finance. The best way you can help is by taking out a regular Standing Order. Don't be put off by taking out a Standing Order for what seems a small amount (£1, £2 etc.), it all helps though the larger the better - we won't turn our noses up at it. The importance of Standing Orders is crucial as it gives us a regular fixed income by which we can plan ahead and use the money where it is most needed. Donations - we accept them no matter how much it is (very!) large or small. For Standing Orders - please send the form below to your own bank.

Running a centre needs CONSTANT materials. We're on the lookout for office furniture of all persuasions - desks, filing cabinets, shelves (anything to conserve storage space). An absolute necessity on a regular basis is stationery, in particular A4 paper (blank and lined), sellotape, envelopes of all sizes and as many as humanly possible, stamps (again, an absolute necessity), fax paper, diaries, notebooks, typewriter ribbons (for an Adler SE1010) and correcting ribbons. We also need an additional electric typewriter as the one currently in operation is already overworked.

Also of constant need is a supply of household items such as binbags, bleach, clothes, Hooverbags . . . the list is endless. You know - the things necessary to upkeep large premises on a week-to-week basis. These things can make a dent in our finances and obviously we're trying to cut costs on this. If you can help with ANY of these things then don't HESITATE, give us a ring NOW for uplift.



Libertarian Greetings Folks! This is the second "Centre News". We apologise for the big gap between this and the last one but there has been a lot going on here in the Solidarity Centre. Alan has returned to college which means that the responsibility for compiling this newsletter had to be passed on. Anyway this will be the first of a regular mailing so we hope you like it.

The Centre is really going well now. We have full office facilities for members to use including computers and a fax and a growing library (donations ever welcome). We have NINETEEN groups either using or working out from the Centre. They are:-

GLASGOW ANARCHIST GROUP
SCOTTISH FEDERATION OF ANARCHISTS (inc. "Scottish Anarchist" magazine)
EARTH FIRST!
CLYDESIDE HUNT SABOTEURS
ANARCHIST BLACK CROSS (prisoners' support work)
CAMPAIGN AGAINST MCDONALDS
FAHRENHEIT 451 bookshop
"RUDE GIRLS" (Anarcho-feminists)
SCOTTISH ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION
ANTI M74 CAMPAIGN
RED AND BLACK CLUB
GLASGOW WOMEN FOR CHOICE
CLASS WAR
ANARCHIST COMMUNIST FEDERATION
ANTI CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACT CAMPAIGN
POLLOK FREE STATE
FASLANE PEACE CAMP
HANDS OFF OUR WATER CAMPAIGN
GLASGOW FREE INFORMATION NETWORK

If you want to get involved in any of these groups write to them c/o us and we'll pass it on.

The Centre is now open Monday to Friday from 10am to 4pm and is also available as a meetings space most evenings (except Monday) for a small negotiable fee. Please pop in and see us!

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An article in the Observer on the 30th September referred to us young disaffected people as the "underwolves". We may be WOLVES but we are not under ANYTHING!

MEMBERSHIP!

You will remember receiving a membership form with the last mailing. We have decided due to our very poor finances that from 31st December 1995 we will be unable to continue to send out mailings and information to you unless you are a member of the Centre. If you have already joined us (and 21 individuals and groups have) THANK YOU, and if you haven't then PLEASE return the form and payment soon so that we can keep you on our list (if you have lost the form then let us know and we'll send you another one).

We don't think that a fiver (or a tenner if you work) is a lot to ask and in return we will send you loads of information about what's happening in the Anarchist scene in Glasgow and Scotland, news of gigs and events and piles of fabby leaflets. So if you aren't already a member, please do consider this.

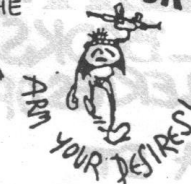
Rude girls

The Rude Girls came into being during the controversial M77 battle in Pollok earlier this year. It is a state of mind, an attitude. We are a non-hierarchical, pissed-off, ACTIVE group of women. It's time to act ourselves, for ourselves and for what WE want to do. Are you fed up with what happens around you? Do you want to make things happen instead of let them? We need your ideas and help to select and take out targets, decided by us. We're having a Rude Girls Launch on Tuesday 31st October, 7:30 pm at the Solidarity Centre - the witches will be out! Come to the launch and talk to other Rude Girls, decide your targets and take ACTION! Contacts : 0141 357 4489 or 0141 332 1071

FINANCIAL APPEAL - if you have any money lying about that you don't need please give it to us! Thanks.

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The Anarchist Black Cross group is part of an international network of anarchist prisoner support groups. At present we are a very small group of 4 members working out of the Solidarity centre but we are very keen for other folk to get involved as well.

We are currently in direct contact with 3 prisoners - JOHN BOWDEN is in Perth prison after escaping from Maidstone prison in November 1992. He was recaptured up here. He is an anarchist who writes for the "Taking Liberties" ABC paper.

OJORE NURU LUTALO is in the Maximum Detention Centre in Trenton, New Jersey. He too is an anarchist. There is a planned blitz to highlight Ojore's situation in February 1996 as he will have been in the MDC for 10 years, where prisoners are kept in their cell for 48 out of every 48 hours.

MICK THYNNE who is in Mountjoy prison in Dublin awaiting extradition to England after he escaped. At the time of writing Mick has been granted bail of 10,000 and is trying to raise this so he can be released.

We have also been supporting MUMIA ABU JAMAL, JOHN PEROTTI and SARAH BALABAGAN, who was sentenced to death by firing squad in the United Arab Emirates. STOP PRESS - SARAH'S APPEAL WILL BE HEARD AT THE END OF OCTOBER

ANY MOVEMENT THAT DOES NOT SUPPORT ITS POLITICAL PRISONERS IS A SHAM MOVEMENT - OJORE NURU LUTALO

For more information about prisoners support or if you want to get involved then contact Lesley or Jeanne in the centre. Please let us know of any prisoners who may benefit from ABC support.

THE RED AND BLACK CLUB

We have managed to arrange with those wonderful dudes at the 13th Note to have an Anarchist social club there every fortnight in their downstairs bar. (Thanks especially to Ian and Craig)



November 1st - Viv Gee, Mick Parkin and Junk Culture (poetry and subversive fun)
November 15th - Jam tomorrow! - with Haggis on pipes, "Damaged Fabric" and guests - bring instruments and join in.
November 29th - lose your dignity at our "Quiz Night" - more fun than "Shooting Stars"
Entry to all events £2 - also raffles for raffle prizes!

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Monday 16th October - Action Against Muckdonalds (more info phone 226 5066)

Saturday 21st October - "Greenfest" Hillhead Library 10am-4pm
- Anarchist Bookfair, Conway Hall, London

Friday 27th October - "Critical Mass" Bike Ride meet at Kelvingrove Art Gallery/Museum 5.30pm

Saturday 28th October - Anti-fascist march in Manchester

Tuesday 31st October to Sunday 5th November - Earth Nights and Pixie Actions

FOR MORE EVENTS AND INFO SEE GLASGOW FREE INFO NEWSLETTER (Available in Solidarity Centre)

Scottish Wildlife Action

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